R A L P H BILL STATUS March 31, 2004 REPORT OF LAST DAY'S ACTION - HOUSE

SCR 3 THEUNISSEN AIRCRAFT/AVIATION

Continues the Governor's Aviation Advisory Commission.

Read by title, under the rules, referred to the

Committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SCR 20 NEVERS CONGRESS

Memorializes Congress to fund the development of a hurricane evacuation route from New Orleans north to the Mississippi state line and I-55.

Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

- SCR 33 HINES HEALTH SERVICES

 Expresses preference of the Louisiana Legislature to fully fund the Louisiana Senior Prescription Drug Program

 Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.
- SCR 39 SCHEDLER COMMENDATIONS
 Commends Daniel Scott Eads on extraordinary academic and athletic accomplishments.
 Received in the House from the Senate.
- SCR 40 HINES CONGRESS

 Memorializes Congress to provide funding for the Louisiana
 University of Medical Sciences, Inc., College of Primary Care
 Medicine.

Read by title, rules suspended, concurred in.

Received in the House from the Senate. Read by title. Lies over under the rules.

- HB 17 BOWLER CIVIL/LAW
 Provides for the use of surnames by a widowed, divorced, or remarried woman
 Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading regular calendar.
- HB 18 SHEPHERD HOUSING/AUTHORITIES

 Provides relative to the membership and time of service of the boards of commissioners of housing authorities in certain parishes

 Read by title.
- HB 65 HILL ANIMALS
 Increases the fine for violations of state law regarding the disposal of animal carcasses and restraint of sick animals
 Reported favorably (14-0) (Regular)
- HB 148 GALLOT CIVIL/DISCOVERY

 Provides for deposition conduct and procedure

 Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to

 3rd reading regular calendar.
- HB 150 GALLOT CIVIL/LAW

 Provides for the Civil Code articles on loan

 Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to

 3rd reading regular calendar.
- HB 164 ANSARDI LIABILITY/PUBLIC

 Provides for the prejudgment interest rate in suits against the state or political subdivisions

 Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading regular calendar.
- HB 203 FRITH PUBLIC LANDS/STATE

 Authorizes the transfer of certain state property in Vermilion
 Parish from the Department of Health and Hospitals to the
 Vermilion Parish Police Jury
 Reported with amendments (14-0) (Local)
- HB 327 DURAND PROPERTY/PUBLIC
 Authorizes the state to transfer certain tracts of land in St.
 Martin Parish
 Reported favorably (14-0) (Local)
- HB 367 THOMPSON FISHING/CRAWFISH
 Provides relative to the membership of the Louisiana Crawfish
 Promotion and Research Board
 Reported favorably (15-0) (Regular)
- HB 418 MONTGOMERY CIVIL/RESTRAINING ORDER
 Provides with respect to assistance in applying for protective orders in certain circumstances

Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

- HB 571 T POWELL AGRICULTURE/STRAWBERRIES
 Provides relative to the Louisiana Strawberry Marketing Board
 Reported with amendments (14-0) (Regular)
- HB 577 M JACKSON CIVIL/PROCEDURE
 Provides for the constructive contempt of court
 Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd
 reading regular calendar.
- HB 637 QUEZAIRE PROPERTY/PUBLIC
 Authorizes the transfer of certain state property in Sabine
 Parish from the Louisiana Technical College to the Department
 of Transportation and Development
 Reported favorably (13-0) (Local)
- HB 657 QUEZAIRE PUBLIC LANDS/STATE
 Authorizes the transfer of certain state property in Assumption
 Parish from the Department of Transportation and Development to
 the Assumption Parish Police Jury
 Reported favorably (14-0) (Local)
- HB 750 DURAND VITAL STATISTICS
 Provides relative to the release of birth and death certificates for judicial purposes
 Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading regular calendar.
- HB 891 THOMPSON AGRICULTURE
 Provides relative to the use of certain terms in the labeling of food products
 Reported favorably (15-0) (Regular)
- HB 1011 JOHNS PROPERTY/IMMOVABLE
 Provides relative to the terms of options and rights of first refusal
 Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading regular calendar.
- HB 1063 J D SMITH PUBLIC LANDS/STATE
 Authorizes the transfer of certain state property in St. Mary
 Parish from the Department of Transportation and Development to
 the St. Mary Parish Council
 Reported favorably (14-0) (Regular)
- HB 1101 ANSARDI TAX/HOTEL OCCUPANCY
 Authorizes an additional hotel tax in Jefferson Parish
 Read by title.
- HB 1408 DANIEL AMUSEMENTS/SPORTS

 Provides for duties, obligations and responsibilities of athlete agents and creates a cause of action for tortious interference with contract

 Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on COMMERCE.
- HB 1409 MONTGOMERY HORTICULTURE

 Adds educational requirements as a qualification to take the examination for licensure as a retail florist

 Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on COMMERCE.
- HB 1410 LAFLEUR JUDGMENTS/CIVIL
 Requires the social security number of the defendant to be included in certain petitions and judgments
 Read by title.
- HR 13 TUCKER INSURANCE/RATES

 Expresses the intent of the Louisiana Legislature in enacting
 Act No. 351 of the 2003 Regular Session, relative to creating a
 flexible rating process for property and casualty insurance
 rates

 Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- HCR 7 ODINET COMMENDATIONS

 Commends Phyllis Diecidue upon receiving the Milken Family
 Foundation National Educator Award

 Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
- HCR 11 FRITH COMMENDATIONS

 Commends the Vermilion Catholic High School upon winning the Class 1A State Football Championship

 Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.

- HCR 16 LANCASTER CONDOLENCES Expresses sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of the Honorable William H. Byrnes III Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House. HCR 19 SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH SALTER Recognizes May 5, 2004, as State Employee Recognition Day Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House. CONDOLENCES **HCR** 21 Expresses condolences upon the death of Robert William Clements of Lake Charles Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House. M STRAIN SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH Recognizes September of 2004 as Parent Teacher Association HCR 26 Month in Louisiana Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House. COMMENDATIONS HCR 2.7 SMILEY Commends Josh Burton upon receiving the Milken Family Foundation National Educator Award Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House. HCR 30 COMMENDATIONS Commends Chief Master Sergeant Charlie Sherman Poole posthumously and recognizes his bravery and sacrifice for his nation Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House. HCR 39 SCHNEIDER CONDOLENCES Expresses the condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Mrs. Marilyn Faust of Slidell Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House. HCR 40 COMMENDATIONS Commends the Southern University Lab School girls basketball team upon winning the high school Class 1A State basketball championship Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House. HCR 41 HONEY COMMENDATIONS Commends the Southern University Lab School boys basketball team upon winning the high school Class 1A state championship Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House. HCR 43 COMMENDATIONS Commends the University High School boys basketball team upon winning the Class 2A state championship
 Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House. HCR 45 LAMBERT COMMENDATIONS Commends Amanda Mayeaux upon receiving the Milken Family Foundation National Educator Award Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House. HCR 47 SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH Proclaims April 22, 2004, as Take Our Daughters and Sons to Work Day Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House. HCR COMMENDATIONS 49 E GUILLORY Commends the Lake Charles-Boston High School Boys Basketball team upon winning the Class 3A state championship Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House. HCR 50 COMMENDATIONS J H SMITH Recognizes Travis Feaster of Benton High School for various accomplishments Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House. HCR 51 J H SMITH COMMENDATIONS Commends Will Slack for qualifying for the State Geography Bee to be held on Friday, April 2, 2004 Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House. HCR 54 DORSEY SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH Provides that every month of April is "Crime Victims Awareness and Memorial Month" Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House. HCR 55 TRANSPORTATION DEPT FAUCHEUX Urges and requests the Department of Transportation and
- Development to study the practicality and feasibility of designing and utilizing traffic roundabouts at certain intersections

Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

- HCR 56 EMBALMERS/FUNERAL DIRECT **FAUCHEUX** Amends portion of continuing education rules for licensees of the Louisiana State Board of Embalmers and Funeral Directors Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.
- 57 HCR HONEY COMMENDATIONS Honors the Southern University students who participated in the 1960 sit-ins

Received from the Senate without amendments.

- HCR 58 LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS Urges and requests the Joint Committee on the Budget to form a Subcommittee on Science and Technology Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
- HCR 59 WINSTON CHILDREN Continues the Task Force on Legal Representation in Child Protection Cases Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.
- COMMENDATIONS HCR 60 DOERGE Commends the State Fire Marshal's Office for a century of dedicated service Received from the Senate without amendments.
- HCR 61 CONGRESS Memorializes congress to appropriate funds to secure design and construction assistance for water-related environmental projects Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on ENVIRONMENT.
- HCR 62 FISHING/OYSTERS Requests the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries and the Department of Health and Hospitals to study the correlation between night time water and air temperatures and the development of Vibrio vulnificul in oysters harvested during tho Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
- HCR 63 MTR VEHICLE/DRIVER LIC G SMITH Requests the office of motor vehicles and BESE to include in the training and testing of drivers information relative to sharing the road with motorcycles and tractor/trailer trucks Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- HCR 64 DAMICO FISHING/OYSTERS Urge and request the Dept. of WLF to develop and implement a program to control black drum during critical times for oyster farmers Read by title, under the rules, referred to the

Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

- HCR 65 FISHING/OYSTERS Requests the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries to study the development and implementation of a plan for the management of nuisance fish around oyster beds Read by title, lies over under the rules.
- HCR 66 COMMENDATIONS Commends the participants of the 140th anniversary reenactment of the battles of Mansfield and Pleasant Hill on April 3-4, 2004 Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- CONDOLENCES HCR 67 KENNEY Expresses condolences upon the death of former Louisiana First Lady Marjorie F. McKeithen Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- COASTAL RES/COASTAL ZONE HCR 68 Urges the immediate closure of the Mississippi River Gulf Outlet Read by title, lies over under the rules.
- HCR 69 SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH ST GERMAIN Declares March 31, 2004, as Kick Butts Day at the Louisiana State Capitol and commends Peers Against Tobacco Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.

HCR 70 FANNIN COMMENDATIONS

Commends John David Hough of Jackson Parish upon attaining certification from the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards

Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.